

**To:** Foster, Althea[Foster.Althea@epa.gov]; Restivo, Angela[Restivo.Angela@epa.gov]  
**Cc:** Tighe, C. Daniel[Daniel.Tighe@WestonSolutions.com]  
**From:** Crow, David  
**Sent:** Mon 8/10/2015 4:35:50 AM  
**Subject:** Drinking Water Sampling

Daniel Tighe (713.397.1550) is our START team lead for the drinking water sampling. He has talked with Dennis and they will meet up early Monday morning to coordinate sampling details. Daniel has the sample bottles, water quality monitoring equipment, and lab analytical details.

This evening Phil Turner and I talked about the drinking water sample analysis. Also, Weston's R6 lab coordinator has confirmed analytes with his R8 counterpart to ensure we are using the same lab approach. Monday morning I'll brief you on those details.

David

**From:** Foster, Althea [mailto:Foster.Althea@epa.gov]  
**Sent:** Sunday, August 09, 2015 9:42 PM  
**To:** Restivo, Angela  
**Cc:** Crow, David  
**Subject:** Re: Water Quality Division Call

Angela,

START can provide some personnel to help with tomorrow's well sampling. Our RIC has told us to make it happen and Weston found a way to make it work. David Crow relayed that information to Dennis tonight. Sorry for the miscommunication

Sent from my iPad

On Aug 9, 2015, at 9:27 PM, Restivo, Angela <[Restivo.Angela@epa.gov](mailto:Restivo.Angela@epa.gov)> wrote:

Here's a summary of Private drinking water well sampling –

NMED GWB will initiate sampling while EPA R6 mobilize to the site. R6 will use START

contractors to conduct the sampling.

Sampling will be conducted at private wells that meet the criteria (500 ft distance from river and wells shallower than 100 ft depth), conservative assumption.

We are getting a list of private wells within 1.5 miles from river from Althea. We will be determining the universe based on this criteria, then decide if we need to revisit the criteria to make it more restrictive. Sampling ideally will include all SDWA suite, however, based on resources, R6 may just restrict it down further.

River water sampling has been going on since the begin and will continue. EPA Region 6 is conducting this through contractors. I

Thanks.

**From:** Atkins, Blake  
**Sent:** Sunday, August 09, 2015 7:57 PM  
**To:** Restivo, Angela  
**Subject:** RE: Water Quality Division Call

I heard samples are to be taken tomorrow. Could you share the who, what and where of this sampling, please. Also, who is working on the monitoring plan? I'd still appreciate talking with you about this.

Blake Atkins  
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**From:** Restivo, Angela  
**Sent:** 8/9/2015 4:08 PM

**To:** Manheimer, Jenna; McCasland, Mark; Ngo, Kim; McCoy, Melinda; Brown, Jamesr; Garcia, David; Atkins, Blake  
**Cc:** Foster, Althea; Webster, Susan; Crossland, Ronnie  
**Subject:** RE: Water Quality Division Call

I am still on a call with NMED Groundwater staff. I would still like to have a call but it will probably need to be later tonight.

**From:** Restivo, Angela  
**Sent:** Sunday, August 09, 2015 3:05 PM  
**To:** Manheimer, Jenna; McCasland, Mark; Ngo, Kim; McCoy, Melinda; Brown, Jamesr; Garcia, David; Atkins, Blake  
**Cc:** Foster, Althea; Webster, Susan; Crossland, Ronnie  
**Subject:** Water Quality Division Call

I would like to have a call with those in Water Quality who are currently involved with the Gold King Mine Response.

Please call in for a meeting at 4:00 CT

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**From:** Manheimer, Jenna  
**Sent:** Sunday, August 09, 2015 2:39 PM  
**To:** Restivo, Angela; McCasland, Mark  
**Cc:** Ngo, Kim; McCoy, Melinda; Brown, Jamesr; Garcia, David; Atkins, Blake  
**Subject:** RE: Link to R8 Data

Angela,

Is there any more recent sample data than from 8/6? We are hearing rumors that results from at least 8/7 are available, but not being shared/released? The local response group here is very concerned about this. It would help us to have the results ahead of any public meeting, so we can review them thoroughly. Spreadsheet format like the ones from 8/5 & 8/6 would be most useful.

Thank you.

Jenna Manheimer, MPH  
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**From:** Restivo, Angela  
**Sent:** Sunday, August 09, 2015 12:52 PM  
**To:** McCasland, Mark; Manheimer, Jenna  
**Cc:** Ngo, Kim; McCoy, Melinda; Brown, Jamesr; Garcia, David; Atkins, Blake  
**Subject:** FW: Link to R8 Data

R8 initial sample data released to public through link below

**From:** Loesel, Matthew  
**Sent:** Sunday, August 09, 2015 11:16 AM  
**To:** Restivo, Angela  
**Cc:** Turner, Philip; Rauscher, Jon  
**Subject:** Link to R8 Data

Here is the link to the R8 Prelim data that looks to be public

<http://www.epaosc.org/GoldKingMine>

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